



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
CAP Bureau / Assault Unit

Date: 12/31/2018

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Type of Offense/Incident: Felony Assault / Shooting

Date: 12/31/18

Time: 7:33 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 1371 Cleveland Avenue

Zone: 4

Precinct: 5

Incident Report #: 181086089

Cruiser District: 50

Victim: Elijah E. Seward

Sex: M

Race: B

Age: 30

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

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Race:

Age:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

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Charges:

Suspect:

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Incident Summary: On December 31, 2018 at approximately 7:33 p.m., the victim, Elijah Seward, drove onto the parking lot of the 5th Precinct Substation located at 1371 Cleveland Avenue seeking help from officers. Mr. Seward was suffering from gunshot wounds to his neck and shoulder. Patrol officers rendered first aid to Mr. Seward and he was transported to an area hospital where he is currently listed in critical condition. Mr. Seward was unable to talk and the details of the shooting are currently unknown.

Anyone with any information in regards to this shooting is asked to call the Columbus Police Assault Detective Deryl Kowalski #2293 at 614-645-4189 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at 614-461-TIPS (8477).

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